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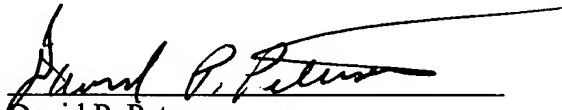
This responds to the Office action of April 12, 2006.

Applicant elects the Group I claims, namely claims 1-13 and 23-26.

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